

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT(S) : Xin Tao

TITLE : A METHOD AND APPARATUS  
FOR PROCESSING CALLS IN A  
CORE PACKET NETWORK USING  
A HALF-CALL MODEL

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**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed January 7, 2008, on the above-referenced patent application, the Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.